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SUBJECT: WMO PLANNING FOR SAHEL DONORS' MEETING, NIAMEY

1. MISSION LEARNED FROM WMO SECRETARIAT THAT PROPOSED DONORS' MEETING FOR SAHEL PROJECTS NOW POSTPONED TO "END OF APRIL", DATE TO BE FIXED SHORTLY. DAVY, WMO CONSULTANT ON SAHEL PROJECT, NOW PREPARING DOCUMENTS FOR SUBJECT MEETING. DAVY WILL TAKE DRAFTS TO CILSS HEADQUARTERS FOR APPROVAL BY END OF MARCH. HE WILL RETURN TO GENEVA WITH APPROVED DOCUMENTS FOR MAILING ON BEHALF OF CILSS TO MFA'S OF COUNTRIES TO BE INVITED TO MEETING.

2. WMO STATES THAT NIAMEY MEETING WILL BE RESTRICTED TO METEOROLOGICAL ASPECTS OF SAHEL PROJECT. THEY EXPECT THAT 7 OR 8 COUNTRIES LIKELY TO BE INVITED. USEFUL IF USAID METEOROLOGICAL SURVEY TEAM COULD PASS THROUGH GENEVA APRIL SECOND OR THIRD, TO MEET DAVY AND DISCUSS FEATURES OF DOCUMENTATION FOR DONORS' MEETING AS BACKGROUND TO THEIR OWN INVESTIGATION. CURRENT SITUATION IN AREA CAN BE REVIEWED WITH OTHER SECRETARIAT EXPERTS WHO HAVE VISITED ALL THE SAHEL COUNTRIES WITHIN RECENT MONTHS. THIS SCHEDULE WOULD PROVIDE REASONABLE TIME FOR USAID EXPERTS TO VISIT SAHEL COUNTRIES BEFORE DONORS' MEETING TAKES PLACE.

3. IF U.S. EXPERTS NOT ABLE TO MEET THIS SCHEDULE, MISSION SHOULD BE INFORMED OF ACTUAL PLANS SO THAT DAVY MAY BE BROUGHT BACK TO GENEVA FOR DISCUSSIONS. DALE

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